

Scottsmeer Community Association Meeting Minutes for May 24th, 2010

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The meeting was preceded by a spaghetti dinner from 4:30 – 6:30.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President, Marieanne Syverson. Other officers present were Tanya Salter, vice president, Bryan Kyle, treasurer and Kate Perez, secretary. 31 persons were present.

Introduction of Guests – Linda Scott, a representative from Florida's Blood Centers, was present to be our guest speaker on the topic of a Scottsmeer Community Association blood drive in the Scottsmeer Meeting Hall. She showed a video about the need for blood donations and answered questions about what would exclude donors and how blood is used and tested to protect those receiving it. She also gave out blood donor information materials.

New Members, Douglas and Judy Funk, and Harold Birkhead were also introduced.

The minutes from the previous meeting were handed out. Arnie Benson moved that the minutes be approved as distributed, Doug Chamberlain seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Treasurer's Report was made by Bryan Kyle. The current total of our bank account is \$6,957.68. Arnie Benson moved that we approve the treasurer's report as read. Glenda VanGilder seconded the motion, the motion carried.

Committee Reports:

Meeting Hall –Lee Bird away, Tanya Salter reported that the hall was used on 23 days and by 444 people. The 2nd ceiling fan has been installed and the water heater was replaced by the county. Tai Chi classes were discontinued because there were not enough students in regular attendance. The Walk Away the Pounds class continues on Monday, Wednesday & Friday evenings. The board expressed thanks to Doug Chamberlain for hooking up the ice maker on our refrigerator and installing new faucets, and Arnie Benson for purchasing a DVD player to go with our TV. President, Marieanne Syverson reported that she has signed the renewal agreement for the building for the 2010- 2011 year with no changes.

Website - Kate Perez announced that she had copies of a proposal from Amtrak to run a passenger train line from Jacksonville to Miami through the Eastern rail line with stops in Daytona Beach, Titusville, Cocoa and 5 other coastal cities with service to begin within 3 years. This document is also available on our website at: www.Scottsmeer.org and in the curio box at the post office.

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Membership Committee – Members were asked to please check their phone number and e-mail and postal addresses on the sign-up sheet. Feel free to just make a dash mark *if* you received a phone call and e-mail reminder for the current meeting.

Food Service Committee – Bryan Kyle gave a brief recap of tonight's Spaghetti Dinner. He thanked Shirley & Nicholas Schuchman, Doug & Arlene Chamberlain, Pat Prudhomme, Trent & Karrie Minch, Elizabeth Taylor and Grady & Virginia Wright for their help. 25 dinners were served and we cleared \$128. Next month's dinner will feature Boston Butts. Volunteers are needed for the next dinner on June 28th

Special Events – July 4th (held on 3rd!) Picnic - Arnie Benson, needs 5 people for the set up committee, 5 for the cleaning committee, and 5 more for the food committee as well as other, random volunteers and helpers for the Cakewalk. We approved a rain date for the 5th of July. The Picnic starts at 12 noon on July 3rd. Food service will be from 1pm – 3pm. The raffle drawings will begin at 3:30. The last hayride will begin at 4:15. The picnic will end at 5pm.

CFAR - Those who are interested in the CFAR (big cat rescue) issue were reminded that they will need to attend the zoning board meeting in Viera on the 27th of May at 5pm.

6. **Mail** – We received a notice that our insurance will go up.

Old Business:

Pond Tour update – Sat. June 5th 8am – 5pm sponsored by ACE hardware in Merritt Island. - tour of local ponds – free. Let Bryan know if you want the list of ponds and their locations when it comes out.

Blood Drive – We will hold our blood drive on June 26th from 10am to 1:30. The Bloodmobile will be parked at the Scottsmoor Meeting Hall. Please come out and volunteer to donate blood for those in need! **You MUST make an appointment first by either e-mailing Marianne Syverson at: MSyverson727@Yahoo.com or calling: 321-544-5773.**

New Business:

Curio Box volunteer – We have decided to separate the jobs of curio box decorator and secretary for the association. Elizabeth Taylor volunteered to take over as decorator of the curio box at the post office.

Group activities wanted – We are looking for members interested in organize and run activities in the Meeting Hall. Possibilities include cards playing groups, art classes or craft groups or groups for seniors to get together.

Book Exchange – We plan to put a box or bookcase in the Meeting Hall to allow members to recycle their used books by offering them to anyone who would like them free of charge.

Other Considerations:

50/50 - \$19.50 was won by Pat Prudhomme, and \$19.50 was taken in by the association.

Adjournment – motion to adjourn was made by Marieanne Syverson

